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BOX PATENT APPLICATION  
Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Re: Application of Taku ISHIZAWA and Masanori KAMIJYO  
INK CARTRIDGE FOR RECORDING APPARATUS  
Our Ref. Q64072

Dear Sir:

Attached hereto is the application identified above including forty-six (46) sheets of the specification, including the claims and abstract, and seventeen (17) sheets of drawings. **The requisite U.S. Government Filing Fee, the executed Declaration and Power of Attorney, and Assignment will be submitted at a later date.**

The Government filing fee is calculated as follows:

Total claims	36	-	20	=	16	x	\$18.00	=	\$288.00
Independent claims	4	-	3	=	1	x	\$80.00	=	\$80.00
Base Fee									\$710.00
Multiple Dependent Claim Fee									\$270.00
<b>TOTAL FEE</b>									<b><u>\$1348.00</u></b>

Priority is claimed from April 11, 2000, May 23, 2000, and May 23, 2000, based on Japanese Application Nos. 2000-109502, 2000-150925, and 2000-150926, respectively. The priority documents are enclosed herewith.

Respectfully submitted,  
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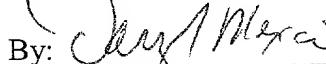
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